SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 370

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A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Wayne Robert "Pops" Boger of White House.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Wayne Robert "Pops" Boger of White House; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Boger was an exemplary citizen and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for his fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, Pops Boger was born in Chicago, Illinois, on February 2, 1943, and was a graduate of the University of Colorado; and

WHEREAS, a longtime civic leader, Mr. Boger was very active in a wide variety of community and civic organizations in White House and Sumner County and was named White House Citizen of the Year in 1988; and

WHEREAS, this outstanding gentleman served with probity on numerous boards, including the United Way of Sumner County, Volunteer State Community College, White House and Sumner County Chamber of Commerce, and the Lion's Club; and

WHEREAS, Pops Boger was also very active in his church community of Our Lady of the Lake, serving on the Education and Formation Committee and on the Parish Council; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Boger was a Fourth Degree member of the Knights of Columbus, an organization dedicated to promoting patriotism enlightened by Catholic faith; he was deeply committed to the Knights of Columbus's mission of rendering exemplary service in support of religious, civic, and charitable causes; and

WHEREAS, he was also deeply devoted to his family, and Pops Boger was most fortunate to share love, support, and companionship with his wife of thirty-nine years, Sue

Waller Boger, and their sons and daughters-in-law, Lorne and Kathy Bolger; David and Rhonda Bolger; Chris and Tanis Boger; Billy and Stephanie Sabin; and son, Michael Bolger; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bolger is further survived by his grandchildren Taylor Boger, Caleb Sabin, Jessica Boger, Hailey Boger, Annaston Boger, and Kaitlyn Sabin; and his brothers, Don and Bob Boger; and

WHEREAS, he was preceded in death by his parents, Robert and Charlotte Boger; and WHEREAS, Pops Boger will be deeply missed by all who were fortunate to know him; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Boger leaves behind a legacy of integrity and commitment in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional civic leader and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor the life and memory of Wayne Robert "Pops" Boger, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family, friends, and colleagues of Mr. Boger.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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